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12 DISTRICT OF NEVADA  
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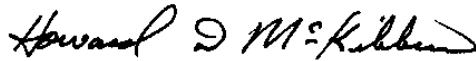
14 SHAWN CAWLEY, ) 3:11-cv-00565-HDM-VPC  
15 Plaintiff, )  
16 vs. ) ORDER  
17 OFFICER GOOD, et al., )  
18 Defendants. )  
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20 Federal Rule of Civil Procedure 4(m) permits a court to  
21 dismiss an action, on its own initiative after notice to the  
22 plaintiff, for failure to serve a summons on a defendant within 120  
23 days after filing the complaint. Plaintiff filed his complaint on  
24 September 16, 2011, but he has failed to identify or serve any of  
25 the John and Jane Doe defendants: Officer John Doe #1, Officer John  
26 Doe #2, Officer John Doe #3, Dr. John Doe #4, and Nurse Jane Doe #5  
27 of Washoe County Detention Center. On April 30, 2013, the court  
28 gave the plaintiff notice of its intent to dismiss for failure to

1 timely serve the Doe defendants. Plaintiff has not shown good  
2 cause to excuse the lack of service. Accordingly, plaintiff's  
3 claims against the Doe defendants are **DISMISSED WITHOUT PREJUDICE**.

4 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

5 DATED: This 3rd day of June, 2013.

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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE  
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